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In re Application of:	:	
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OPERATING METHOD	:	
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APPEAL BRIEF TRANSMITTAL & PETITION TO EXTEND

SIR:

Accompanying this Appeal Brief Transmittal is an Appeal Brief pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.37 for filing in the above-identified patent application for which a Notice of Appeal was e-filed on January 28, 2011.

This is also a **Petition To Extend** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the two-month response date by **one (1) month** from the two-month date of March 28, 2011 to **April 28, 2011**.

The appropriate fees of **\$670.00**, which includes the Appeal Brief fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(c) (which is believed to be \$540.00) and the Rule 136(a) extension fee (which is believed to be \$130.00 for a one-month extension), are being paid by credit card.

The Commissioner is also authorized, as necessary and/or appropriate, to charge any additional and appropriate fees, including any Rule 136(a) extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **11-0600**.

Respectfully submitted,

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